

I write to file my opinion that the FCC must protect local ownership of broadcast stations, and local news programming.

The FCC must not allow large corporate media conglomerates such as Clear Channel, Sinclair Broadcasting, and The Tribune Company to own a majority of the stations in the country, and absolutely must not allow one company to own all radio or television in a broadcast area or town.

Companies must be limited to 100 stations of any sort, and not allowed to cover more than 10% of the national market.

In addition, companies must not be allowed to own a radio station, a television station, and a newspaper in one town or coverage area.